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SUBJ: DRAFT AGREEMENT

REF: A. TEHRAN 6280 B. TEHRAN 6442

1. ANSARY CALLED ME AGAIN LATE EVENING JULY 5 AND TOLD ME HE HAD DISCUSSED DRAFT AGREEMENT (REFTEL A) WITH THE SHAH WHO HAD FOLLOWING COMMENTS:.

A. WITH REFERENCE TO PARA 3 OF DRAFT THERE IS NO CURRENT OPEC OFFICIAL PRICE OF \$10.46/BBL. PRICE VARIES ACCORDING TO QUALITY. ACCORDINGLY DRAFT SHOULD BE AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS: "OIL PURCHASE PRICE - CURRENT PERSIAN GULF PRICE CORRESPONDING TO GACHSARAN OIL (\$10.46/BBL) TO BE INCREASED MONTHLY WITH THE US WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX FROM DATE OF CONTRACT EXECUTION."

- (B) FOREGOING AMENDMENT ALSO CALLS FOR AMENDMENT OF PARA 6(A) OF DRAFT TO READ AS FOLLOWS: "U.S. TO HAVE THE OPTION TO TERMINATE THIS AGREEMENT SHOULD THE FORMULA PRICE (3. ABOVE) EXCEED THE PREVAILING GACHSARAN PRICE."
- 2. SHAH HAS NO OTHER OBJECTIONS AND WITH OUR ACCEPTANCE OF TWO AMENDMENTS NOTED ABOVE DRAFT IS APPROVED BY HIM. HELMS

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